



air travel (R-8).

49 U.S.C. 41309 directs us to approve any agreement or modification of an agreement if we do not find it adverse to the public interest or in violation of this part. We find that the agreement in Docket OST-95-966 is not adverse to the public interest, in violation of this part, or likely to lessen competition substantially and that, therefore, it should be approved.

Furthermore, we conclude that the approved resolutions should be granted immunity from the operation of the antitrust laws to the extent necessary to permit their implementation. In general, they amend existing provisions already approved and immunized by the Department. Where new provisions are created, they perform administrative and facilitatory functions similar to other resolutions that have been approved and immunized. As a result, none raises immunity issues not previously considered, and the conferral of immunity upon them is consistent with our policy of conferring immunity on amendments coextensively with the underlying agreements.

Pursuant to the authority duly assigned under the Department's Regulations 14 CFR 385.13:

We do not find that Resolutions R-1 through R-29 of the agreement in Docket OST-95-966, as set forth in the attached appendix, are adverse to the public interest, in violation of 49 U.S.C. 41309, or likely to lessen competition substantially.

**ACCORDINGLY,**

1. We approve R-1 through R-29 of the agreement in Docket OST-95-966, as listed in the attached appendix, under 49 U.S.C. 41309; and
2. To the extent that R-1 through R-29 of the agreement in Docket OST-95-966 are approved, we exempt any person affected by this order from the operation of the antitrust laws as provided in 49 U.S.C. 41308.

Persons entitled to petition the Department for review of this order, under 14 CFR 385.50, may file such petitions within ten days after the date of service of this order.

This order shall be effective and become the action of the Department upon expiration of the above period, unless within such period, a petition for review is filed or the Assistant Secretary for Aviation and International Affairs gives notice that he will review this order on his own motion.

By:

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<u>Docket</u>	<u>IATA Resolution Designation Number</u>	<u>Title of IATA Resolution Affected</u>	<u>Expiry Date</u>
R-1	PAC1(27)003 (except USA) PAC2(27)003 PAC3(27)003	Standard Rescission Resolution (I)(New)	Indefinite
R-2	PAC1(27)003 (except USA) PAC2(27)003 PAC3(27)003	Standard Rescission Resolution (II)(New)	Indefinite
R-3	PAC1(27)003 (except USA) PAC2(27)003 PAC3(27)003	Standard Rescission Resolution (III)(New)	Indefinite
R-4	PAC1(27)800 (Except Bermuda, Brazil, Canada, French Overseas Departments, Greenland, USA and Venezuela)	Passenger Sales Agency Rules-Area 1 (Amending)	Indefinite
R-5	PAC2(27)800 PAC3(27)800 (Except China, Japan and South West Pacific)	Passenger Sales Agency Rules-Areas 2 & 3 (Amending)	Indefinite
R-6	PAC1(27)800e (Except Bermuda, Brazil, Canada, French Overseas	Conduct of Review by Travel Agency Commissioner	Indefinite

Departments,  
 Greenland, USA  
 and Venezuela)  
 PAC2(27)800e  
     PAC3(27)800e  
 (Except China,  
 Japan and South  
 West Pacific)

R-7      PAC1(27)800g      IATA/SATA Joint      Indefinite  
             (except USA)      Consultative Council  
             PAC2(27)800g      (New)  
             PAC3(27)800g

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R-8	PAC1(27)802 (Except Bermuda, Canada, French Overseas Departments, Greenland, USA and Venezuela)	Passenger Sales Agency Rules (Amending)	Indefinite
R-9	PAC1(27)802e (Except Bermuda, Canada, French Overseas Departments, Greenland, USA and Venezuela)	Conduct of Review by Travel Agency Commissioner (Amending)	Indefinite
R-10	PAC1(27)804 (Canada and Bermuda)	Passenger Sales Agency Rules-Canada and Bermuda (Amending)	Indefinite
R-11	PAC1(27)804c (Canada and Bermuda)	Canada Agency Program Joint Council (Amending)	Indefinite
R-12	PAC3(27)810	Passenger Sales Agency Rules-Orient Countries (Amending)	Indefinite

R-13	PAC3(27)810c	Passenger Sales Agency Rules-China (Amending)	Indefinite
R-14	PAC3(27)810e	Conduct of Review by Travel Agency Commissioner (Amending)	Indefinite
R-15	PAC3(27)810f (Japan)	Conduct of Review by Travel Agency Commissioner (Amending)	Indefinite
R-16	PAC3(27)810g (China)	Conduct of Review by Travel Agency Commissioner (Amending)	Indefinite
R-17	PAC3(27)810j	Passenger Sales Agency Rules-Japan (Amending)	Indefinite
R-18	PAC3(27)810r	Passenger Sales Agency Rules-Russian Federation (Amending)	Indefinite

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R-19	PAC1(27)812	Passenger Sales Agency Rules-Venezuela (Amending)	Indefinite
R-20	PAC1(27)812e (Venezuela)	Conduct of Review by Travel Agency Commissioner (Amending)	Indefinite
R-21	PAC1(27)814 (Except Bermuda, Brazil, Canada, USA and Venezuela) PAC2(27)814 PAC3(27)814 (Except China, Japan and South West Pacific)	Passenger Sales Agency Rules (Amending)	Indefinite
R-22	PAC1(27)814e	Conduct of Review by (Except Bermuda, Brazil, Canada, USA and Venezuela) Travel Agency Commissioner (Amending)	Indefinite

	PAC2(27)814e PAC3(27)814e (Except China, Japan and South West Pacific)		
R-23	PAC2(27)814pp (EU and EEA countries only)	European Union Satellite Ticket Printer Locations (New)	Indefinite
R-24	PAC3(27)816 (South West Pacific)	Passenger Sales Agency Rules-South West Pacific (Amending)	Indefinite
R-25	PAC3(27)816 (South West Pacific)	Conduct of Review by Travel Agency Commissioner-South West Pacific (Amending)	Indefinite
R-26	PAC1(27)830 (Except USA) PAC2(27)830 PAC3(27)830	Multiple Ticket Issuance by Agents (Amending)	Indefinite

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R-27	PAC1(27)838 (Except USA) PAC2(27)838 PAC3(27)838	Revalidation or Reissue of Traffic Documents by Agents (Amending)	Indefinite
R-28	PAC1(27)850 (Except USA) PAC2(27)850 PAC3(27)850	Billing and Settlement Plans (Amending)	Indefinite
R-29	PAC1(27)850w (Except USA) PAC2(27)850w PAC3(27)850w	Billing and Settlement Plans Panel Mail Votes (New)	Indefinite